

THE CITY COUNCIL.

Considerable Routine Business Finally Disposed of.

The Los Angeles Street Matter Postponed Until Monday.

Street Car Companies Ordered to Repair Their Tracks.

The Chief of Police Instructed to Rigidly Enforce the Ordinance in Regard to Jumping on Street Cars While in Motion.

The City Council met in adjourned session yesterday afternoon, with all of the members present except Councilman Gaffey.

The matter of the protest against the acceptance of the work on Los Angeles street coming up, Councilman Innes moved that the time for hearing protests be postponed till Monday at 2 p. m., which motion prevailed.

President Teed moved that the Chief of Police direct the attention of his officers to the ordinance forbidding boys jumping on and off cars while in motion, and that all boys jumping on and off cars in infringement of this ordinance be immediately arrested in order to prevent serious accident. Carried.

President Teed moved that the Park Commission be requested to take charge of the grounds north of the City Hall.

Councilman Nickell moved that the City Clerk be instructed to advertise for bids for the construction of an iron fence in front of that ground.

Councilman Munson said he thought that a cement coping instead of a fence would answer the purpose. Such a coping had been found to work well about Sixth street. Park. Councilman Nickell maintained that the circumstances were different, as far as the grounds by the City Hall were concerned. The latter grounds were at present being used as an alleyway and for the purpose of removing garbage.

After some further discussion the matter was voted on and the motion prevailed.

Councilman Nickell moved that the Pacific Railway Company be notified to place the pavement between its tracks and for two feet on each side thereof in as good condition as the remainder of Downey avenue.

On motion of Councilman Pessell, steps were taken for the employing of an additional deputy janitor, beginning May 1, that being the time that the irrigation season opens.

The contract awarded to Hughes & Mayer for the construction of section 10 of the outfall sewer were approved, as were also the following: A lease with Sarah A. Burlingame for the rental of a fire engine house, a contract and bond with Frick Bros. for a zanja pipe across Adams street, a contract and bond with William A. Riley for the filling of a hole on Orange street, and a contract and bond with J. D. Mercereau for the construction of the Seventh street bridge.

On motion of President Teed the Consolidated Electric Railway Company was notified to fill gravel about its tracks on the University system in such a manner as to make the pavement flush with the tracks.

A report was received from the City Attorney recommending that, in the matter of the action brought by William Hunter and others against the city to quiet title on certain land on Upper Main and Buena Vista streets, a disclaimer should be filed. So ordered.

The City Attorney presented an ordinance providing for plumbing rules and regulations, which was passed under suspension of the rules.

Fifty Offenders.
In Justice Seaman's court yesterday Robert Harland, charged with embezzlement, was held for trial before the Superior Court.

In Justice Austin's court two disturbers of the peace had justice meted out to them, and Amos D. Maitland, who had been arrested on two charges of larceny with prior conviction, was held in the sum of \$1,000.

A. E. Neilligan, charged with embezzlement, was held on \$500 bail or \$25 cash.

THE EAST SIDE.

Pythians Visit Their Alhambra Brethren.
All About a Chicken.
H. B. Fasig is making preparations for the postoffice to be placed in the rear of his store.

A number of the members of Samson Lodge K. of P. went to Alhambra Tuesday evening to attend a meeting of the lodge at that place.

At that place, Supreme Chancellor W. W. Blackwell of Henderson, Ky., and Grand Chancellor W. C. Gibbs of San Francisco were in attendance. Speeches were made by several of those present, and refreshments were afterwards served.

An altercation occurred near the Kahrts street bridge two or three days since which is expected to figure in the Police Court today. There were two near neighbors, one of whom has chickens, while the other has not. The said chickens behaved in a disorderly manner and failed to keep within the bounds of the owner's property. The result was a miniature war of words and incidentally more or less ill feeling, which will undoubtedly be more fully explained in court today.

Kansas City Used in Pointing a Moral.
[Harpers' Young People.]
Matthew Spittling, chief of the Wyandottes, lives in Kansas, and is known to be worth about \$1,000,000. He is supposed to be the richest Indian in America. He can neither read nor write, but by his native shrewdness has acquired large tracts of land in Kansas and Missouri, as well as houses and lots in Kansas City.

Some white men were negotiating with him for the purchase of a certain lot of land. The price was finally agreed upon, \$140,000, and they were to meet him at a certain bank in Kansas City at 10 o'clock. There and then the money was to be paid and the papers signed.

On the appointed morning old Matthias entered the bank a few minutes before the hour and took a seat with his eye upon the clock. The minute hand reached 12 and the clock began to strike. The Indian rose, and at the last stroke he walked out of the building.

He had gone only a block or two before he met the capitalists hurrying to their appointment. They begged him to return, but he refused. If he wished to deal with him he would meet them at the bank the next day at 10 o'clock.

That time the white men were on hand, but when they offered the Indian the price agreed upon for the land he declined to take it. The \$140,000 of yesterday's price. Today they might have the property for \$100,000. Talking was useless, and they paid the additional \$20,000.

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day, and he got interested and tried to think of some way by which he could

spare even so small an amount as 10 cents a day, for his salary is small and

arrangements already made fully call for the expenditure of it all as it comes

in each week. It finally dawned upon him that by smoking two cigars less

each day, he could still leave him a sufficient amount of this "American

pleasure," he could save enough to pay for the books. Strange it did not occur to him in the first place, but the

human mind is so peculiarly constructed that ideas take hold of it, or it takes

hold of ideas very slowly at times, and this idea did not come to him until

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today's paper.

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Perris Will Incorporate.

A mass-meeting of citizens was held at Evelyn Hall, Perris, last night at

which it was decided to take action looking to the incorporation of the

town. In order to get the requisite number of inhabitants it will be necessary to include almost the entire

irrigation district. A committee was appointed to secure signatures to a preliminary petition, after which the

meeting adjourned at the call of the chair.

A Convenient Accomplishment.

[Puck.]
Mrs. Hiram Daly. Why, Bridget, I

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Bridget (proudly). Yes, mum. My

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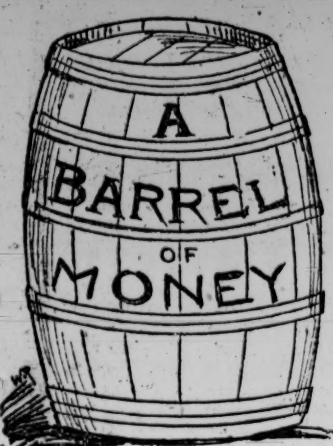
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THE FIRE ALARM.

The System Declared to Be Defective.

Condemned by the Inspector of the Pacific Insurance Union.

The Construction of the Boxes Deserving of Severe Criticism.

The Number of Circuits Should Be Increased—Other Recommendations—Regular Meeting of the Fire Commissioners.

The Los Angeles fire alarm system has been condemned by the Pacific Insurance Union. The electrical inspector of the union has made an investigation of the system, with the result that he declares it is defective, and recommends that "the consideration which is now enjoyed by Los Angeles, because of the assumption that it has a reliable fire alarm system, be now withdrawn." Should this action be taken it would mean an advance in insurance rates all along the line, which would result in the loss of thousands of dollars to property-owners. The following letter and report have been transmitted to Mayor Rowan and the Board of Fire Commissioners, which are self-explanatory.

MANAGER'S LETTER.

Los Angeles, April 24, 1893.
Hon. Thomas E. Rowan, Mayor and ex-officio President of the Board of Fire Commissioners of Los Angeles, Cal.—DEAR SIR: Some weeks ago the electrical inspector of the Pacific Insurance Union made a careful investigation of the fire alarm system of the city of Los Angeles, and the result of his investigation was embodied in his report made to our general manager in San Francisco. I enclose herewith a copy of his report. You will note that he finds the system so alarmingly defective that he recommends that "the consideration which is now enjoyed by Los Angeles because of the assumption that it has a reliable fire alarm system, be now withdrawn."

The Pacific Insurance Union brings this matter before you, officially, in order that you may be made aware of the defects of the system and in order that the necessary action may be taken by your board of municipal authorities to remedy such defects. This is a matter of vital importance to all your citizens. Trusting that prompt and favorable action will be taken, I have the honor to remain, very respectfully,
A. D. SMITH,
In charge of the Los Angeles branch office Pacific Insurance Union.

THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR'S REPORT.
March 31, 1893.
W. S. Duval, Esq., General Manager—DEAR SIR: I have to report as follows concerning the fire alarm system of the city of Los Angeles, Cal.:

The system consists of fifty-three fire alarm boxes, seventeen of which are of the non-interference type, while thirty-six are interfering boxes.

These two types of boxes are arranged upon different circuits indiscriminately. The city is divided into four circuits, containing 13, 23, 8 and 9 boxes, respectively, and consisting of 73, 12, 8% and about 5% miles of wire respectively.

The boxes are of two distinct types manufactured by the Richmond, the Interstate and the Municipal Fire and Police Alarm Telegraph companies, each of which succeeded the other in the order named. I find that the boxes in use, with the exception of three put in by the Municipal company, to be in a condition of workmanship and construction deserving of severe criticism.

These three Municipal boxes are of excellent workmanship, and are susceptible of material criticism. A single contact point, whereas, assurance is made doubly sure from the use of two or more contact points. The contact points in these three boxes in question are made through rubbing, rather than a mere touch, as in the remaining boxes.

Six different types of boxes are used throughout the city, and it is not possible to put forward as an improvement over the preceding ones. None of these boxes are provided with ground circuits, although connections for the same exist in all boxes. With the exception of the three Municipal boxes named, no means exist for ringing in on the box itself an alarm by means of which its electrical condition may be ascertained. All boxes without regard to type are provided with a single point contact.

Line circuits are suspended from telephone, fire alarm electric light and electric railway poles, and are not, therefore, in first-class condition.

Wires are brought down to boxes and poles under clear or near the immediate entrance, and are so run that vines entwine themselves upon the wires, entailing leakage of current, with consequent impairment in the efficiency of the service and running down of batteries.

The plan of running both interfering and non-interfering boxes upon the system is to be severely criticised, as the ringing in of an alarm from one during the progress of an alarm from the other will result in demoralization.

Again, as has been previously pointed out, each fire-alarm box should have a good ground circuit—which exists in none of the boxes of the Los Angeles system. Double contact in all boxes are essential to satisfactory operation. Immunity from sneez currents and burn-outs cannot be secured where lines are carried, indiscriminately, over every variety of poles to be found in a large city. The circuits provided are in too large lengths. In no instance should a fire-alarm circuit be in excess of six or seven miles in length, and the placing of twelve or thirteen-mile circuit places too great a responsibility upon a single wire.

In the central office exists a three-circuit Richmond repeater, which has been supplemented by a relay combination, with a repeater, so that four circuits are operated. Not less than six or preferably eight circuit repeaters should be used, and the city should be divided up accordingly into six or eight circuits. The repeater in the Richmond instrument, which was fully discussed in my report of September, 1890.

No means, other than detecting galvanometers—which simply indicate the existence of the current—are at hand for testing the system, while it should be provided with the instruments necessary for maintaining its circuits perfectly free from leakage.

The gravity batteries operating the system were found to be in a rather indifferent condition, and were in need of replenishing and cleaning, but as a part of the cells had been overhauled and were in good condition, it is presumed that the electrician in charge, who has recently assumed charge of the plant, was aware of the depleted condition of the battery, and had started to give it his attention.

The opinion is rendered that, with the exception of the three latest-type boxes furnished by the Municipal Police and Fire Alarm Telegraph Company, the electrical instruments constituting the system are not to be relied upon, and that therefore the system is not entitled to the consideration that should be given to a first-class fire alarm system.

The circuits should be increased from four to six or eight in number, with a proportionate decrease in the length of the line of each circuit. All lines should be carried on fire alarm or on telephone or telephone poles, above all other circuits.

All boxes should be provided with reliable ground connections, and a six or eight circuit repeater should be placed in the central office.

Any omission from these suggestions will seriously cripple the system, and should not be tolerated. I would advise, therefore, that the consideration which is now enjoyed by Los Angeles because of the assumption that it has a reliable fire alarm system be withdrawn. Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE F. LOW,
Electrical Inspector.

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the exception that the system now receives better care than at that time.

FIRE COMMISSIONERS.

Routine Business Transacted by the Board Yesterday.

All of the members of the Fire Commission were present at the meeting yesterday morning.

A number of property-owners appeared before the board and presented a rather lengthy communication, asking that the petition of D. F. Donegan, for the privilege of erecting a tannery at the corner of Bartlett and Montreal streets, be denied.

It was explained that the tannery matter was not before the board and that the question of the erection of a steam boiler and engine in connection with the tannery was all with which the board at present had to do, and that the same had been referred to the Chief.

Commissioner Wirsching moved that all action by the Chief in the matter be postponed until further orders. Carried.

The property owners retired, and the minutes of the last meeting were approved.

The Chief presented a report, stating that he had summoned the permanent man and driver of chemical No. 1 to appear before the board for violation of the rules.

The captain of chemical engine No. 1 was called in and asked in regard to the disorderly conduct alleged to have taken place at his engine-house. He stated that a slight altercation had taken place between two of the men, but he had separated them without physical interference.

The men were also called in and each of them told very much the same story. Although a knife had been used in the affair, it was done unintentionally. They were both of them now on friendly terms.

On motion of Commissioner Kuhrts the Chief was instructed to reprimand the men and transfer one of them to another company when an opportunity should permit.

Walter S. Moore, ex-Chief of the department, stated that he had heard that a report was being circulated to the effect that he was to be brought against him at this meeting. The relations between Chief Curran and himself had been friendly and he had not known that the present Chief had any charges to bring against him.

Chief Curran stated that he had nothing in regard to the matter to bring before the meeting, and the matter was dropped.

A report of the committee appointed to inspect the state of water pipes between Alvarado and Eleventh streets and between Pico street and Union avenue, reported that there are only two such water mains there, and it would be useless to connect a fire hydrant with such a small pipe. The report was filed.

The requisitions and demands were approved as presented. A report was received from the Chief in regard to repairs needed on various hydrants, and the clerk was instructed to present requisitions for the same, after which the board adjourned.

SINGLENESS OF MIND.

When I was quite young, I said that I would never marry a man who was not a Christian or who used intoxicating liquors or tobacco. I was married when 21 and have a husband who is all that and not a bit stingy. No, he is not too stingy to form bad habits, but could never see that by so doing he would be any better, and by letting them alone he is well as others who would be better off in many ways that do not touch the pocketbook.

We all have faults that others can see better than we, and it is not one of our duties to help each other to a higher and nobler life. The wife alone cannot make the home or train the children to noble manhood and womanhood. The husband must do his part. Children are watching to see if practice agrees with preaching.

Dear girls, it is no disgrace to be an old maid. Better be one than marry a man who thinks more of his bad habits than of you.

Do not be a crank, but become well enough acquainted with your gentlemen friends before promising to marry them. It is better to talk in a kind, quiet way on all subjects and have a perfect understanding.

You do not know what an influence you have. If all would say, "My husband must be so and so," the men would not be long in coming up to the standard.

All honor to the one who chooses single blessedness in preference to a man with bad habits—Housekeeper.

How Young Boys Should Ride Bicycles.

When a child is well mounted on a bicycle, the important question of how far he may ride comes up.

No absolute rule can be laid down, as no two children of the same age are alike. The only thing that can be said is that anything more than moderate fatigue is injurious. A young growing child suffers much from overexertion. Though at the finish of a ride he may seem fairly fresh, still if he has done too much, the results will be apparent soon after and a sleepless night and distaste for food will show that the system is poisoned by the products of its own waste. And it must be remembered while treading of this subject that excessive speed is more injurious than excessive distance, and excessive hill climbing than either.

The great test by means of which a judgment may be formed as to the distance which is sufficient for each child is to observe how he sleeps the night after the ride: how he takes his food; how he is the day after. If he sleeps well, eats well, and is bright and happy the next day, the riding has not been pushed too far and has

done good, not harm, but if he is feverish and sleepless, refuses his food and is languid, dull and listless the next day, then it is certain that too much has been accomplished and that such rides if persisted in will lead to mischief.—Bicycling News.

Little Danger of Overexercise.

It is scarcely necessary to caution girls against the sort of work that overdevelops muscles and makes them hard and not elastic, but unless a girl needs an unusual amount of exercise to keep her in good health she does not want to work her muscles until they are prominent and ugly. Health is better than beauty, however, and if that sad result should attend some girl's exercise she can easily console herself with that thought and in remembering how few are her headaches and her colds and how little time she has to waste on such discomforts.

The girl of today can rejoice that those funny, lackadaisical Clarissas and Belindas and Arabellas whose delicacy and helplessness were held up for the admiration of our great-grandmothers have safely passed over the border into the land of the ridiculous. We can laugh at them now as we wear our sensible shoes and try our best to be what they would have called rudely healthy with their strange idea of what was beautiful and proper.—Mrs. Arthur Brooks in Harper's Young People.

Giving a Child Sweets.

It is the wise mother who gives her children confections in small quantities, for the sweets of which they are so fond often cause trivial ailments, which grow serious and time become distresses of a chronic nature. The candies and good goodies which children crave may permanently injure the teeth and plant the seeds of dyspepsia or persistent indigestion or create an undue tendency toward the deposit of fat. When sugared matter comes in contact with the teeth, it is very apt to leave a sticky deposit, which ferments and decomposes the enamel, and when the sugar enters the stomach it helps to make fat and irritants.

Then, too, the stomach of a child is delicate, and the strain put upon it by a great allowance of sweets is too much for it. There is no reason why children should not be allowed sweets in limited quantities, and indeed their effect is excellent at times. But there should be a limit, which is very well defined by the simple rule, "a little at a time."—New York Telegram.

A Couple of Home Cures.

An excellent remedy for a chest cold, used promptly, is a poultice of hot onions. The onions should be sliced in thin rings, and soaked in water till somewhat tender and very hot. Then put them in a bag already prepared, and tie two or three stitches in the end and apply where the distress is most evident. This done while waiting for a physician will often avert a serious attack.

The same authority, a famous home doctor and nurse, a woman, of course, says that chestnut tea is an absolute specific for whooping cough.

"I gather and dry chestnut leaves every year," she says, "and I have long stopped counting the number of cases I have cured by their use. The dried leaves to be had at the druggists will do quite as well. A tea should be made and given freely to the children. The cough will disappear entirely. It does not merely lessen the attack, it cures it," asserts this most trustworthy authority. "In the case of nursing infants," she adds, "the mother must drink freely of the tea."—New York Times.

Inexpensive Table Decoration.

An ingenious little friend of mine, who cannot afford cut flowers every day, has just made a very pretty and inexpensive fernery for her dining table. First, she procured a pressed glass dish of suitable size and shape, and this she lined with tin foil—not only to hide the foil, but also to preserve the brilliancy of the glass. Then she bought at the florist's a gracefully shaped fern for table decoration, the one known as Adiantum farleyense. Before transplanting it she put into the bottom of the glass dish a few bits of broken crockery to help the drainage.

Occasionally she adds a little charcoal to keep the soil in good condition, and when not needing the plant for table decoration she puts it on the window shelf, where it can have more light. By this means she keeps her dining room fresh and thriving, and she says that "green" is sure to harmonize with everything on the table, which is not always the case with a flower.—Emma E. Brown in Chicago News-Record.

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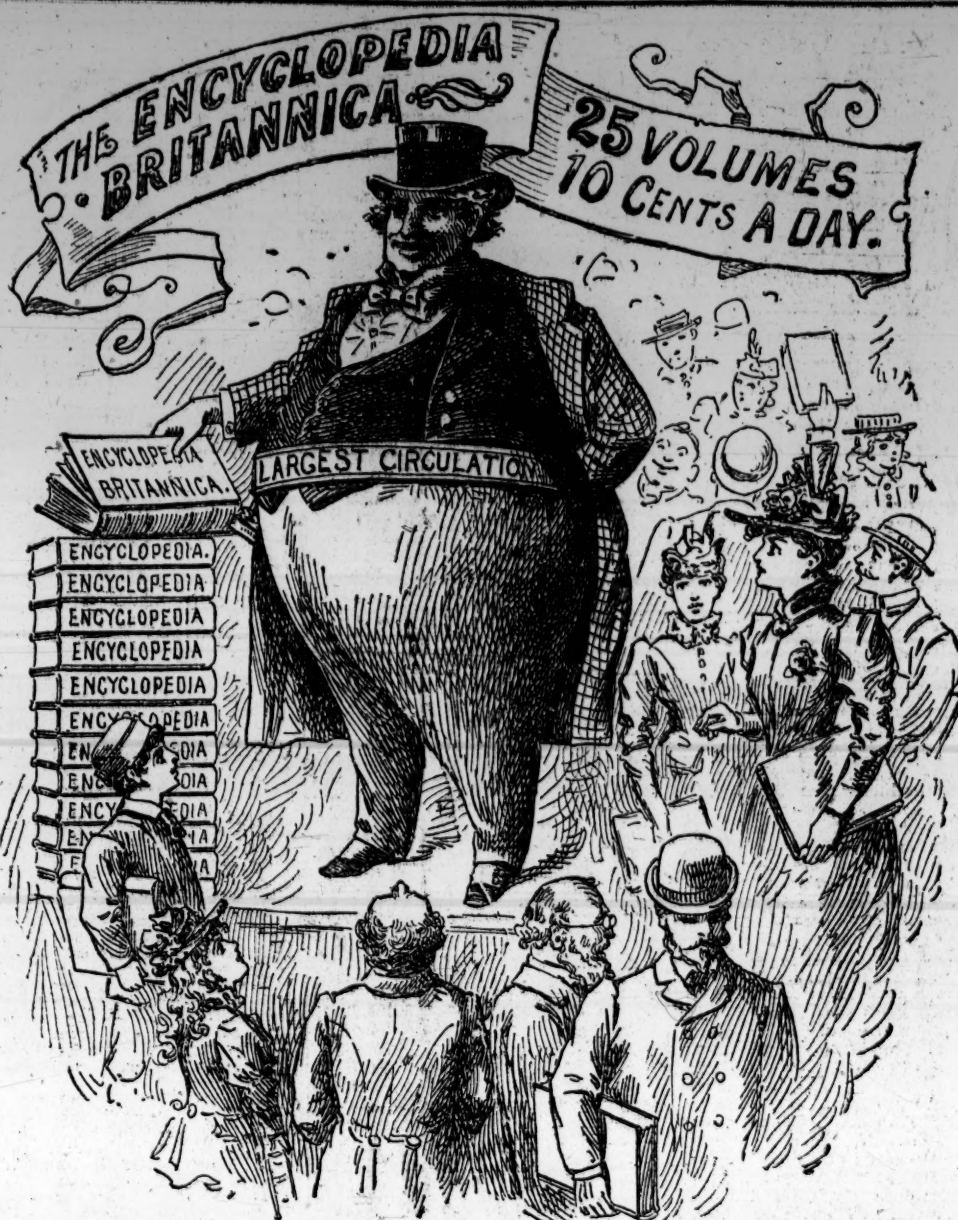
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WEEKLY

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Weather Bureau.
U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, LOS ANGELES.
April 26, 1893.—At 5 a.m. the barometer registered 30.04; at 3 p.m. 30.01. Thermometer for corresponding hours showed 48° and 63°. Maximum temperature, 74°; minimum temperature, 43°. Character of weather, clear.
Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Bureau.
Reports received at Los Angeles on April 26. Observations taken at all stations at 8 a.m., 75th meridian time.

PLACE OF OBSERVATION.	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Wind.	Clouds.
Los Angeles.	30.00	63	74	
San Diego.	30.00	63	74	
Pasadena.	30.00	63	74	
San Francisco.	30.00	63	74	
Sacramento.	30.00	63	74	
Red Bluff.	30.00	63	74	
Eureka.	30.00	63	74	
Roseburg.	30.00	63	74	
Portland.	30.00	63	74	

The Woodbury Business College removes May 1 to the upper floor of the Stowell Block, No. 226 South Spring street. The college will have in its new quarters, the largest and finest suit of rooms occupied by any commercial school on the Coast. A splendid new electric passenger elevator has been put in, running direct to the college rooms, rendering stair-climbing unnecessary. The rooms, thirteen in number, contain a floor space of nearly 8000 square feet, and will furnish accommodations for several hundred students.

For Catalina Island. Every Saturday until further notice, the steamer Falcon will make trips to Avalon, connecting at San Pedro with Southern Pacific Company's and Terminal Railway's morning trains, returning Monday. For further information apply to the Wilmington Transportation Company, 130 West Second street, Los Angeles.

There is nothing that gives such good satisfaction as a fine proof etching; have a look at those at Sanborn, Vail & Co.'s; also their other lines in engraving, photographs, photographs and facsimiles. They carry the largest stock and the best selection. 133 S. Spring street.

Money-raising sale, all goods will be sold at greatly reduced prices until we have \$2500 cash. Fine embroidered silk robes, \$25, reduced to \$15. Jackets, crepe, silk and pongee dress patterns are the lowest on the Coast. Lee Kwai Sing, No. 306 South Spring street.

Wanted.—Competent foreman to take charge of artesian well-boring outfit. None but thoroughly competent men with good references need apply. Riverside Water Company, Riverside, Cal.

Floor space, suitable for light machinery, where power may be introduced, for rent on third floor of Times Building. Also first-class offices on same floor.

Stanton W.C. will go to the Soldiers' Home Saturday, April 29. Those going take their lunch. Train leaves Arcade depot at 10:20 a.m.

Horses and mules for sale by D. K. Trask, receiver Pacific Railway Company, at stables, corner Twelfth and Olive streets. Single tax philosophy Thursday evening. Unity Church, by Louis F. Post, L.L.D. Admission 25 cents.

Old folk's concert at Temple Street Christian Church Friday evening, April 28. Admission 25 cents.

Just received a car of Bethesda Mineral Water. H. J. Woolcott, agent. Also Duffy Malt.

Lost, a fine appetite, but a better one may be had by using Bellan's La Grippe Specific.

Maple, tiles, office fittings, hardwood lumber, H. Bohrmann, 514 South Spring. Fire ins. reduced. Not in compact. Baskerville, 218 N. Main, Laurorean bldg.

Let K. & K., the Broadway tailors, make you a spring suit. 214 South Broadway. James Mead's \$3 shoes; sole agents, Boston Shoe Store, corner Main and Second.

For choice stationery and periodicals go to G. H. Himmelman, 215 South Spring. For first-class shoeing go to Dunstan, No. 649 South Broadway, or telephone 1196.

Thirty kinds throughbred eggs from 75 cents to \$2. No. 249 East Sixth street. Dr. P. W. Fleming, throat, nose and ear, 121 1/2 South Broadway, rooms 1-3.

Summer prices now at Hotel Ramona. Elegant rooms at \$12 per month. Parame Paint Company has removed to No. 221 South Broadway.

Come and look at Kan-Koo's blue and white window.

Stoves, C. T. Pauls, 850 South Main. Special sale of jewelry at Campbell's. "The Unique" kid-glove house.

The report of the commissioners for the widening of Pico street will be in the hands of the Street Superintendent today.

The statement that John Cary suicided is pronounced by his brother to be erroneous, as at the inquest he says it was proven that he took acetic acid.

A street-preacher made himself hoarse last night roaring to a crowd in front of the Bryson Block about the exploits of Ham, Sam, Japhet, and he never said what county they came from.

Master Clifton Gorsuch sent the chamber of Commerce yesterday a navel orange which for a curious freak of nature takes the lead. Inside of the orange is a perfectly formed lemon, an inch and a half long.

Work has been begun on the excavations of a section of the high hill near the head of First street to bring it down to a suitable level for a residence lot, and H. M. Sale, the druggist, will build a handsome house upon the site facing on Hill street.

A call has been issued for a meeting in the interest of the Women's Christian Union Association to be held to day at 3:30 p.m. at Trinity Methodist church. Miss Emma Keeler, assistant secretary of the International Committee, will be present.

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THE CONGREGATIONALISTS.

Meeting of the Los Angeles Association of Ministers and Laymen.

Delegates in Attendance from All Parts of Southern California—A Number of Valuable Papers Read at the Session.

The Los Angeles Association of Congregational Ministers and Laymen opened its annual meeting yesterday at 9 a.m. at the Plymouth Congregational Church, on Twenty-first street. Delegates were in attendance from all over Southern California. Organization occupied the attention of the delegates during the first half hour. Rev. G. A. Rawson of Vernon was chosen moderator, Rev. G. A. Davis of Villa Park, assistant moderator, and Rev. F. J. Culver of Santa Monica, secretary.

The opening exercise was a devotional service, led by Rev. F. A. Field of Olivet Church, city. An essay, "How to Increase Church Attendance," read by G. A. Rawson, followed, and was afterward discussed by the various ministers present.

Eleven o'clock was everybody's hour, and the topic of discussion was "Christianity as Spirit and Life," led by Rev. Thomas Hendry, pastor of Park Congregational Church in this city.

AFTERNOON SESSION.
At the afternoon session Rev. L. H. Frary of Pomona read a very interesting paper on Christian Endeavor work.

Rev. H. C. Case also read an excellent paper on "Preparation for Teaching in the Sunday-school," and was followed by David C. Cook, the well-known Sunday-school worker and Chicago publisher of Sunday-school literature, who presented a grand paper on "Tried Methods."

Published in pamphlet form, and copies placed in the hands of the Sunday-school superintendents without any cost whatever to them. This liberal offer called out a second spontaneous vote of thanks to this prince of Sunday-school orators.

The final talk of the afternoon session was by Prof. C. G. Baldwin of Claremont College, who outlined the scheme of the Pacific Coast Educational Alliance to convene in San Francisco next Friday, its object being to unify the interests of the Congregational schools on the Coast. Mr. Baldwin left last evening for the North to attend this conference.

EVENING SESSION.
The evening session opened with a praise service at 7:15, followed by an address on "Home Missions," by Rev. J. T. Ford of this city.

The ministerial delegates to the association are as follows:
Revs. A. P. Field, Monrovia; S. Bristol, Seattle; H. W. Jones, Pasadena; J. A. Milligan, Nordhoff; A. K. Johnson, Bakersfield; S. G. Emerson, Claremont; Rev. J. C. Miller, San Luis Obispo; C. H. Davis, Villa Park; H. L. Richardson, E. E. P. Abbott, Sierra Madre; J. M. Phillips, Buena Park; H. T. Staats, North Pasadena; C. G. Baldwin, Claremont; F. N. Merriam, Ventura; F. J. Culver, Santa Monica; C. H. Longfield, Alhambra; L. H. Frary, Pomona; J. W. Zimmerman, Compton; D. D. Hill, Pasadena.

Los Angeles—Revs. H. P. Case, Samuel Evelyn, E. Cash, F. A. Field, J. T. Ford, J. C. C. Harris, J. L. Jenkins, T. Hendry, R. G. Hutchins, D. L. Jenkins, F. M. Price, G. A. Rawson, J. M. Schaeffe.

Following are the lay delegates:
Park Church, city, J. A. Colwell, J. F. Sherwood; East Los Angeles, Mrs. Jacobus, J. E. Cashman; Vernon, Deacon J. V. Draper, Mrs. Baldwin; Plymouth Church, Deacon J. W. Parker, H. K. Bowker, Pico Heights, Mrs. Lucy Stone, Mrs. H. W. Folsom; Olivet Church, S. K. Clendenin; Mrs. Heister Adams; Bethlehem Church, Mrs. M. C. Todd, J. Terrace; Rev. J. A. Milligan, Mrs. N. K. Newton, Nordhoff; I. B. Clapp, H. T. Staats, North Pasadena; E. P. Shaw, A. I. Deaton; Donnell William Dresser, Santa Ana; Eli Kimberley, Santa Barbara; James Gray, Mrs. Culver, Santa Monica; C. C. Dixon, Deacon Taylor, Sierra Madre; F. N. Merriam, John Arnell, Ventura; Mrs. T. Kent, Villa Park; Mrs. S. Emerson, Thomas Barrows, Claremont; George Gillett, Miss Anna Gillett, Long Beach; Mrs. Harry Jones, Mrs. Hazel, time, Mr. Zimmerman, Compton; E. Goode; W. J. Seaman, Eagle Rock; Capt. P. B. Clark, Mrs. George Meyers, Hyde Park.

At the close of the afternoon session the presence of Rev. S. H. Weller, D.D., Rev. C. M. Fisher and Rev. W. S. Young of the Presbyterian Church was announced, and it was moved and carried with great cordiality that they be invited to sit as corresponding members. The association continues its sessions all day today, opening at 9 o'clock.

A BEAUTIFUL VIEW.
One of the most charming views to be obtained in Chicago is that which includes Lake Michigan, Washington Park, the Boulevard and the World's Fair buildings in the distance.

Such a glimpse of natural and artificial beauty is commanded by The Renfost, a new and elegant room European hotel, which is located on Fifth-second street, and Cottage Grove avenue.

During the Exposition the U. S. troops and West Point cadets will drill and parade daily, opposite the Renfost. The rates are \$2 per day and upward. The Renfost is within twenty minutes of the heart of the city—seven minutes of the World's Fair grounds. The hotel opens May 1. Rooms can now be secured by letter or telegram addressed to DR. HENRY J. REYNOLDS & CO., Props., or LEWIS LELAND, Manager.

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AN EXTRA large assortment of trimmed hats on sale this week at the New York Bazar, 148 North Spring street.

When the hair falls out after fever. Van Haren's Ointment Hair Tonic stops it.

CONFESSED HIS CRIME.

Billy Young, the "Mac," Admits He Threw the Lamp.

Billy Young, the "Mac" of the prostitute Ida Mansfield, who was so severely burned Tuesday night in an Alameda street crib, confessed to Detective Bosqui last night that he threw the lamp, which set fire to the woman's clothing, saying that they were both intoxicated at the time, and that he hardly knew what he was doing. The woman last night was very low, and the physician attending was doubtful whether or not she would survive the shock.

POMONA.

The Saloon License Placed at One Thousand Dollars a Year.

Half Must Be Paid in Advance, and Bonds in \$5000 Furnished—An Attractive Programme at the Flower Show.

Music and flowers combined to make the flower show at the Armory Hall a very pleasant affair Tuesday evening. The Ninth Regiment Band, of which Pomona is justly proud, rendered a programme, in which selections from such operas as Faust, Martha, Ermeline and others captivated the audience. The people remained seated (all that could get seats) till the entire programme was finished, and the players were frequently applauded.

The hall was crowded, every seat being taken, and the people crowded in the aisles, anxious to get a peep at the flowers. After the musical programme was completed, the people walked around to the different booths, "biew in" their old change, and beat a retreat. The show was continued yesterday afternoon and evening. To-night some of the dramatic talent of the city, under the management of C. H. Marshall will render the comedy drama "A Quiet Family." It is one of the funniest of comedy dramas, and the people will crowd the opera-house to see it. The flowers are remaining remarkably fresh and pretty. The first day of the display has been a great success.

The City Council held a special meeting Tuesday evening. The most important matter before the Council was the passing of an ordinance licensing saloons. The ordinance was read, and is an iron-clad one from the word "and" it does this: "The owner is to give bonds in the sum of \$5000, and there is to be but one chair in the saloon and that for the keeper. He cannot hire a clerk without consent of the Council. There are to be no tables, blinds or screens of any kind. No door except the one leading into the saloon from the street. There is to be no gaming, and the saloon is to be closed at 10 o'clock p.m. and not opened till 5 a.m. On Saturday night it is to be closed at 10 o'clock and not open till 5 o'clock Monday morning. The bartender is not allowed to sell to a habitual drunkard, or to minors. In case the keeper does not come up to the requirements his bond is forfeited and license money likewise, and he cannot get another. The saloon is not to be located within 100 feet of a church or school building. Druggists are allowed to sell upon prescription only, as before. Hotels "known to be hotels" are allowed to serve wine and beer at tables. The bottles are to have at least twenty-five rooms.

The ordinance was referred to the City Attorney, and will be passed at the next regular meeting, Tuesday evening. An ordinance was also passed, giving officers power to arrest any drunken or disorderly person, and the offender would receive five or imprisonment.

The following officers were appointed for the ensuing year: J. R. Garthside, Clerk; Lane McCombs, M. R. Poundmaster; W. H. Saunders, City Engineer; M. Pettigrew, Street Superintendent; E. Scrimminger, Night Watchman; L. Carter, Street Sweeper. The above are all incumbents. Adjourned to Tuesday, May 2.

THE RUNAWAYS.
Miss Debruner and Miss Emerick, the two runaway girls, arrived in Pomona Tuesday night in charge of Officer Skinker. They said they had simply been out looking for work, and concluded to try their hands in Los Angeles. From Pomona they went to the home of Mrs. Ward, who resides a few miles from Los Angeles, and who is a friend of the Emerick family. Of course they did not tell Mrs. Ward anything about having run away. Next morning she arose early and picking up a copy of the Times she read the item about the girls having left for parts unknown. Without letting them know it, she formed the police, and "here they are." The girls are each 17 years of age. Mr. Debruner said yesterday (Wednesday) that he could have found plenty of work for the girls, if he had known they wanted work. In fact, it was a wild freak, and the girls are here, wiser and better.

Warning.
CALABASAS, April 18, 1893.—All persons are hereby warned that no suit is pending for a certain promissory note payable to the Connecticut Fire Insurance Company, or their agents, Danaher, Bridger or Thompson & Co., for the amount of \$75, as the same was obtained by misrepresentation, and there was no value received.

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Clerk Calabasas Court District.

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TRY "Makakake" Pancake Flour.

READ "Hot Springs Specials" on Sunday.

"CREAM Puff" Self-Raising Flour.

Instead of bread

Twice lead, she said.

Till the privilege was allowed her

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THIS WEEK

Goes on Record

As the busiest week's business we ever did in Boys' Wearing Apparel. Suits, particularly, went off with a rush. It was at times almost impossible for Mothers to get near our SPECIAL BARGAIN COUNTERS owing to the crowds that good-naturedly elbowed one and another to get first pick of those excellent "wear-resisting" suits that we are letting go this week at the next-to-nothing price of

\$1.50

Those \$2.45

School Suits also proved a great "drawing card"—many hundred choice patterns disappeared from off our high-piled counters during this week's rush of business. And

Those \$3.95

Marysville all wool gray and brown hair line Suits caused many a mother to exclaim that "they never before saw such good suits sold for such a marvelously low price."

Shoes

It looks as though that there were but few shoes left in the shoe shops about town the way the ladies, men and children surged into our spacious and elegantly stocked Shoe Department the past few days. Low prices were the magnet that drew them, while variety and quality stood towering above the multitude in majestic supremacy.

Hats

We are covering about one-half the heads of the male inhabitants of Los Angeles county, and now we are after the craniums of the balance, and we'll cover 'em, too, if lowest prices and largest stock counts for anything. Of Men's Suits it's unnecessary to speak, as everyone knows that we have the Men's Clothing stock of the Pacific Coast, and if any one misses this week's Carnival of Suit Bargains, don't blame us for not giving them the "proper tip."

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Today the statue of Capt. John Ericsson will be unveiled at the Battery, New York city, as the international fleet moves up the harbor, amid salvos of artillery.

The Swedish societies will participate. This is the only statue ever erected by New York city in honor of him whose monitor saved it from destruction by the Confederate fleet.

Today we display a beautiful window dressed in blue and white; the background is made of Japanese cotton rugs, of which we have just received a large line. Come in and look at it, and look into our line of curios and souvenirs, just what you want to take back East with you.

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SHOE DEPT.

Shoe Sale! Shoe Sale!

Begins SATURDAY, April 29.

Saturday we want you to come in, as we are going to interest you in shoes in a manner which will astonish you. Our entire stock must be closed out in 30 days in order to remodel our store. We are at present hard at work preparing a Gigantic Shoe Sale, and in order to complete our arrangements we will be compelled to close our Shoe Dept. on FRIDAY, April 28, 1893. We wish it distinctly understood that this refers to our Shoe Dept. only. The remainder of our establishment will be open as usual, where some exceptional values will be offered during the balance of the week. We wish to call your attention once more to our

GIGANTIC SHOE SALE!

Our values are without comparison—our qualities are the best—our assortment the largest, so don't forget the date—SATURDAY, APRIL 29.

Ladies' fine English Derby Gloves in all the latest colors, large pearl buttons; we fit every pair to the hand; they always sell for \$2.50; our price.....\$2.00

Dr. Koch's Celebrated Cough Syrup, guaranteed to cure any cough or cold; money will be cheerfully refunded on return of empty bottle in any case where cure is not effected.....25c

Pongee cloths, 30 inches wide, the very latest fabric in wash goods; our line is very large, and the patterns are all choice; they wash splendidly and are worth 16c; our price.....12c

Ladies' fine Union Suits, light finish, high neck and long sleeves, or high neck and short sleeves, a very superior article, well made, worth \$1.50 each; our price.....\$1.00

Columbia Collars and Cuffs in both plain or fancy; they are very stylish this season, and are very durable; made of a splendid material; they are worth 40c; our price.....25c

Children's black, lisle thread, Derby Hose in all sizes; they have no equal for wear, and we consider them the best values we have; the real value is 40c a pair; our price.....25c

Printed India Silks, 22 inches wide; the designs are all very handsome, and the quality of the goods is excellent; they are 22 inches wide, and worth 75c a yard; our price is.....50c

Satin striped Gloria Cloth; this is positively the handsomest line of wash goods that the market affords; they come in all the delicate shades; wide and beautiful; they are worth 38c.....\$1.00

Black silk gloria Sun Umbrellas; these come with handsome oxidized handles, and are made on splendid frame and will not turn gray; their real value is \$1.50; we are going to sell them for.....\$1.00

Taped-edge Lace Curtains, 3 1/2 yards long, in entirely new designs; will certainly prove one of the best bargains you ever bought; we thought them splendid value when we marked them \$2.50, but are going to offer them at.....\$1.50 A PAIR

Ladies' Cloth Capes in black, blue and tan, made with Derby collar; a very slightly garment, and all we are going to ask for them is.....\$3.50

Boys' knee-pant Suits in steel gray only, made of an all-wool cassimere, in sizes 4 to 16 years; a very nobby school suit; will give splendid service; worth \$5; our price.....\$3.25

Men's silk and wool Outing Shirts, new this season; the styles are very nobby, and for the seashore or the mountains they are just the thing; a splendid value; worth \$1.50; our price.....\$1.00

Men's fine fur felt Fedoras in square crown, which is the very latest thing shown in men's hats; these are the best values that have ever come into this house; they are worth \$4; our price.....\$2.50

Acorn Drop Trimmings in all shades; this will add tone to any dress, and is very handsome, being new and one of the most desirable trimmings you can get; it is worth 75c a yard; our price.....55c

Dr. Koch's Sarasaparilla, made from the formula of the celebrated German physician, guaranteed to be the best made or money refunded; to introduce it our price will be.....75c

7 1/2 inch real Haviland China Plates; you certainly know what these goods are and what they are worth; therefore we are going to offer them to you for.....163c

the witness replied candidly that he would not know what the cause of de

not done so, he was confident that latter was mistaken.

through whose savory or unsavory channels so great a wave of human enjoyment or dolor flows.

the minor child, and that the plaintiff's attorney fees be fixed in the sum of \$100, in addition to that already paid.

Massachusetts, aged 88 years, to M. M. Malony, a native of California, 34 years, a resident of this city.

ISSUING BANK NOTES.

EXHAUSTIVE MEANS ARE TAKEN TO PREVENT FORGERY.

Notes of the Bank of England Are Rarely Counterfeited—How the National Bank of Scotland Proceeds With a New Issue. Great Skill and Ingenuity.

Although coins are often counterfeited, as the police records show, it is rare that an attempt is made, in this country at least, to forge a bank note. The invariable custom of the Bank of England never to reissue notes is a strong safeguard against forgery, as detection would be speedy, but even in Scotland, where they circulate year in and year out until they become grimy and greasy, counterfeits are seldom if ever heard of. This immunity is no doubt mainly due to the difficulty of reproducing an exact facsimile, even with all the advances which have been made in recent years in photo processes, and to the fact that the banks having daily exchanges the notes are quickly returned to the issuing bank.

Those who produce bank notes, as well as the banks who issue them, are of course fully alive to the opportunities which improvements in the arts offer to the skillful forger, and their energies are directed to counteracting those possibilities. In every part of the work of producing a note the highest technical skill and ingenuity are employed, and its reproduction would not only be a failure, but even the same craftsman were they to start afresh with other materials could not reproduce exact imitation of a given note. The difference might be slight, but it would be sufficient for an expert to detect.

The fact that the National Bank of Scotland is just now preparing for an issue of fresh notes has induced some persons to make inquiry as to the method of their production. The work has been entrusted to a firm which has turned out not a little of the paper currency of South American and other states. In conversation with the head of the department, a representative learns that the first thing to be done is of course to fix upon the design.

The bank managers stated that they wanted on the face of the note a portrait of the Marquis of Lothian, who is governor of the Clyde, Holmwood palace and Edinburgh castle, also the arms of Scotland and of the bank. On the back there was to be a view of Princes street, Edinburgh, from the Calton hill. The design was worked out by the artists according to these directions, and a very artistic note is the result.

The object of the note, however, was not wholly artistic. The vignettes, and more especially the portrait, were introduced in order to make it difficult, if not impossible, for forgers to imitate the note. Even the most skilled engravers would be hard put to it to reproduce the fine lines of the portrait and the expression of the latter. An engraving, and landscape engraving as much divided as the two branches of the painter's art, and costs of arms form another speciality, the work had to be entrusted to several hands, each according to his vocation. Engraving in steel is a very slow process indeed, and something like two months were spent in producing the portrait.

The engravers worked simultaneously on their special parts, and when finished these were put together by a process which need not be detailed, to form the complete plate. Another feature of the design is the narrow border on the face of the note and the broad border framing the view on the back. These are formed of geometric lacework of extreme intricacy and delicacy, which is produced by a machine of very expensive construction, and the movements of which are so intricate that if the operator lost the register of the wheels and indices he would not be able to reproduce the same design. Great reliance is therefore placed upon the skill of the engraver, and the ingenuity of the counterfeiter.

The practice in a good deal of so called steelplate engraving is to transfer the design from the plate to stone, and then print from the latter. In the case of bank notes, however, the printing is done direct from the plate, and the result is that the lines are much more delicately reproduced on the paper, and the difficulty of imitation is thereby enhanced. The paper is made from fine linen rags, which impart the qualities of durability and softness, so that it can be folded without cracking, and the material from which it is manufactured.

The front of the note is printed in blue ink on two grounds—one of red and the other of yellow. The back is blue on a pale ground of yellow. The tints are fine printed from relief blocks, and the printing from the plate from the ink is of a very fine quality. The colors were chosen with a distinct view to the possibilities of photo lithography. The first proofs that were pulled when put to the test were found not to be altogether satisfactory, and after a series of experiments these colors were employed which gave, it is believed, absolute security.

In the handling of the paper and the printed notes there is an elaborate check system. When the paper reaches the printer from the paper maker, every sheet is carefully counted, and at each stage the same precaution is taken. At the time when the printing of the notes are finally counted and packed up for delivery. If there are any "spoils," they are burned. The plates are kept in a special box belonging to the bank in the strong room. In the case of a foreign issue the consul puts his seal upon the box. After the notes are sent to the bank they have to be signed by an official before they are finally ready for issue to the public.—Pall Mall Budget.

The "Huntsman's Cup." The "huntsman's cup," or pitcher plant, is considered to be the earliest of America to become known to Europeans. References occur in relation to it as early as 1570, when a Lisbon physician named Laumans sent it to a contemporary as the leaves of the frankincense tree. It appears that two sailors brought the curious leaves to some rosin from the pine trees growing near, and Laumans supposed they belonged together. Much confusion has occurred and much wonderment been expressed as to what curious tree with such leaves could be found in America giving such "sweete odoriferous" leaves as were "burned."—Boston Herald.

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A Very Strange Case.

"Two little girls, Jennie and Edith, near Boston, were playing with their dolls and companions. Diphtheria broke out, both were taken with it, and at noon, Wednesday, June 5, Jennie died. Edith's parents and the physician, too, took particular pains to keep from her the fact that her little playmate was gone. They succeeded. On Saturday morning, just before she became unconscious, she asked two of her playmates to be sent to Jennie, and also told her attendants to bid Jennie goodbye for her.

Right here is the important point to be noted in this narration. Dying persons usually see or think they see those and only those that they know have passed away. Edith did not know that Jennie had gone. Edith died at 6:30 p. m., Saturday, June 8. She had roused up and hidden her friends goodbye and was talking of dying and seemed to have no fear. She appeared to see one or another of the friends she knew were dead. So it was like the common cases. But now, suddenly, and with every appearance of great surprise, she turned to her father and exclaimed, "Why, papa, I am going to take Jennie with me!" Then she added: "Why, papa, why, papa, you did not tell me that Jennie was here!" And immediately she reached out her arms as if in welcome and said: "Oh, Jennie! I'm so glad you are here!"

Now, I am familiar with the mechanism of the eye and the scientific theories of vision. I know also very well whatever the world knows about vision. But I submit that there is something not easily accounted for on the theory of hallucination. It goes beyond the ordinary death of vision and presents a feature that demands as an adequate explanation something more than the easy one of saying she only imagined it.—Rev. M. J. Savage's "Psychic Facts and Theories."

Luther and Wellington.

On the occasion of a Luther celebration held at Wittenberg, a number of china pipes were adorned with the portraits of Luther and Melancthon from a painter on porcelain of Coburg, who does a large trade in china ware. Though a good Protestant, our painter has forgotten nearly all he ever learned about the history of the reformation and the name of Luther's friend, Melancthon, is entirely blotted from his memory.

Wellington, on the other hand, is a good old friend of his, and acting upon the conviction that his correspondent had simply misread the name of the iron Duke, he proceeded to execute the order, and the case of pipes was dispatched and delivered in due course.

Imagine the astonishment of the merchant on beholding the counterfeit presentation of the two heroes, the black garb of a priest, and Wellington in the red uniform bespangled with stars and orders. The dealer refused to keep the bowls, and the painter would not take them back. The public got wind of the affair, everybody laughed at the mistake and wanted to have a china bowl with the image of Luther and Waterloo. In a couple of days, the cases were empty, and the merchant who had ordered the bowls was only sorry he had not 100 such cases on hand.—Hamburg-Nachrichten.

The Antiquity of Superstitions.

Why do people shudder when a dog howls near a house where lies a sick person? Why is the breaking of a mirror supposed to portend death or bad luck? Why should touching the hump of a hunchback bring fortune? Why do people indulge in these and other kinds of superstitions? The answers to these questions are generally shrugs of the shoulders, and frequently these very shrugs are the most superstitious of mankind. Few people indeed have any idea that when they indulge in superstition they are performing the rite of a religion which dates back to many years before the advent of the Christian era, but such is nevertheless the case.

The popular superstitions of the day are older than our religion and our customs. In the darkest days of ancient history superstitions took their rise in the shape of religious beliefs. The seed was sown in one place, but wherever it existed, for the same superstitions flourished in various parts of the world among nations who had no communication with each other. They were handed down from generation to generation, and were remodelled to suit the exigencies of the times, so that the person who today seeks the 4-leaved clover, or breaks a wishbone is only following in footsteps made hundreds of years ago.—New York Tribune.

Safest Place in the World to Sleep.

"Talk about people going to sleep in church," said Albert W. Deane of Elgin, Ill. "Why shouldn't they? I don't know a safer place on earth to sleep in than church, and it seems all the more secure to me when I see the dangerous places chosen by some people to their sleeping in. At an Indian apolis the other day I saw a tinamith sleep on the roof of a house at the very eaves, and when two policemen stole up to and carefully awoke him he got mad because they had disturbed his rest. He felt sure up there he was safe and used to it."

Only a Choice of Evils.

A strange but well authenticated story is related of a well known Brooklyn club man, who recently adopted a novel method of attempting to cure a serious ailment. His ailment was declining rapidly with consumption, and several expert veterinarians had given it up as a fatal case. The owner was very fond of the horse and was willing to spend money freely if he could but save his life. One night at the club house he was advised to treat the horse with a medicine regarded as a cure for consumption. The next day Tom purchased a barrel of India pale ale and served it ad libitum to the suffering animal.

The horse took to the new medicine with a decided relish, but the pet trotter died of alcoholism instead of consumption.—Boston Herald.

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AN ELECTRICAL SNAKE.

A Tall Story About a Fiery Monster That Left a Trail of Glass.

Mark Weston, a farmer living near the town of Alexander, Ind., relates a most wonderful phenomenon which occurred at his place. He says: "Just after dark night before last I had occasion to go out to the barn to look after the horses. A public highway passes within 300 yards of my house, and the barn is built about 30 rods from the house due south and somewhat nearer the road. I started from the house in the direction of the barn and had gone perhaps half the distance when I noticed something playing along the ground that looked like a tremendous fiery snake.

"The object crossed my path, and as it did so I felt the air grow much colder, and a peculiar, moaning sound arose, like the sighing of the wind through the trees, only it was loud enough to drown a man's voice when he would shout. Then I felt something come over me like electricity, and I became motionless, as though I had grown fast to the ground.

"I was terribly scared, but I never lost the use of my hands or my eyes, though there was something peculiar in the air that simply paralyzed me. When the thing had got perhaps 50 feet from me going west, it turned and came back, and as it did so the moaning sound changed to a shrill whistle, something like a locomotive would make, and when it got just in front of me it took a course directly away from me and toward the barn.

"It traveled very rapidly and looked like a large, ragged streak of fire, perhaps 30 feet long and 18 inches in diameter. The thing reached the barn and disappeared straight on directly up in front of the building and onto the roof. I expected every moment to see the barn burst into flames, but it did not. The great fiery snake ran with great rapidity all over the building, in almost every direction, up and down, crosswise and even diagonally, a thousand times. It then came to the front of the building and elevated itself, and it stood straight on its tail fully 30 feet in the air.

"I was perfectly conscious all the time, but try as I would I could not move from the spot. After the thing remained about an upright position for I presume, three or four minutes there was a sudden explosion like the discharge of a cannon, and the thing disappeared entirely. With the disappearance of the strange phenomenon I felt a shock like the first one I had felt, and as the shock passed I felt a faintness of mind. I hastened to the house, told my wife what I had seen, and she thought I was crazy, but upon my insisting she consented to accompany me to investigate the matter.

"You can imagine our surprise upon reaching the barn to find it covered with a remarkable network resembling large ropes of ice. They appeared to pass around the building in exactly the way the fiery monster had passed. It was not ice, however, but seemed to be more of a crystal, for it would melt under the heat of the sun. It was not until we had struck with a hatchet it simply gave a dullish sound and did not break.

"Upon entering the barn we were amazed, as two good horses stood in their stalls immovable. They were alive, but neither could move a muscle. They seemed to be paralyzed and stood there more like statues than anything else. They were warm and breathed all right, but aside from this you could not tell they were alive. I applied the whip, and they never flinched. A dog that sleeps in the barn was dead and appeared completely petrified. He was lying on the ground with his head on his paws just like he was sleeping. When I left home this afternoon, everything was just as I have described it to you."—Cor. Chicago Mail.

Life in Hawaii.

Of the people of the Hawaiian Islands it can be truly said that they are the most amiable, careless, irresponsible people in the world. The nearest approach to work of any kind is their employment as cowboys on the stock ranches. They are wonderfully expert horsemen and also become adept in the use of the lasso. A native man, or a native woman for that matter, is never so happy as when on a spirited horse, going at a hard gallop, decked out with flowing hair, wearing a bright, colorful cloth, in screaming conversation with a whole troop of companions. They ride their horses to death, they kill their babies with neglect and improper food, and yet it cannot be said that they are a grain of conscious cruelty in their nature.

Presidents Who Married Widows.

Three of the first four presidents of the United States married widows. The first, John Quincy Adams, who received his education in England, created a great sensation in the nation's capital. The wife of Martin Van Buren, Hannah Hoos, lived but a short time after her marriage, dying about 17 years before her husband's election to the presidency. The second wife of Andrew Jackson was a Roman Catholic, and Mrs. Polk was a calm, mannered Presbyterian. Mrs. Millard Fillmore had been a schoolteacher, and the courtship was carried on under difficulties, as the lady could rarely pay the expense of a journey to see his fiancé. Mrs. Franklin Pierce was the devoted daughter of a clergyman and made the White House a center for charitable and religious enterprises.—Detroit Free Press.

An American Greeting.

"An American naval officer said that once when a great French vessel of the harbor of Cherbourg several vessels of our Atlantic squadron were present and were drawn up in line to salute the empress's yacht as it passed. The French sailors manned the yards of their ships and shouted, 'Vive l'empereur!' Knowing that he could not school his men to repeat these words in the brief time left to him the American ordered his crews to cry, 'Beef, lemons and cheese!' The imperial yacht came sweeping on, and as it reached the fleet a mighty roar went up of 'Beef, lemons and cheese!' that entirely drowned the voices of the Frenchmen. The empress said she had never been so complimented.—San Francisco Argonaut.

A Good Deal. Mother (severely)—Johnny, where is that piece of cake I left here when I went out? Johnny—I gave it to a hungry little boy, mamma, and, oh, he was so glad to get it! Mother—Come to my arms, my dear, dear angel. Who was the little boy? Johnny—Me.—Exchange.

MERCURIAL. Mr. J. C. Jones, of the Fulton, Arkansas, has been afflicted with a severe case of blood poisoning. Leading physicians prescribed medicine after medicine, which I took without relief. I also tried mercurial and potash remedies, with unsuccessfull results, but which brought on an attack of rheumatism that made my life one of agony.

After suffering for four years I gave up all remedies and began using S. S. S. After taking several bottles I was entirely cured and able to resume work. It is the greatest medicine for blood poisoning to-day on the market.

An Incident at Lloyd's.

An interesting incident in connection with the loss of the Peninsula and Oriental steamship Bokhara has lately come to light. At the door of Lloyd's is stationed a porter, whose duty it is to prevent the entrance of unauthorized persons and to shout out the contents of telegrams received. One day, just before the news of the disaster reached London, an underwriter at Lloyd's took a risk on the vessel at 50 guineas. Just as he was in the act of signing the slip the porter, in the exercise of his duty, bawled out, "Bokhara"—pausing for a moment in order to make the announcement more impressive. The underwriter, pen in hand, believing that the rest of the telegram would be "has arrived," snatched the slip from the broker, exclaiming: "I have it!"

In another instant the porter continued: "Is totally lost."

The remarks of the underwriter are not on record.—Million.

Old English Silverware. Old English silverware is much in demand just now, and genuine pieces, especially those of historic interest, fetch high prices. There is a special interest in tableware of the seventeenth, eighteenth and early nineteenth centuries. As both tea and coffee came into use in England near the middle of the seventeenth century, some of these coffeepots and teapots are among the earliest of English make. Even though the device of the wooden handle, designed to interpose a nonconductor between the hand and the hot metal, had come into use. The best of the coffeepots are large, stable vessels, with little ornament and no striking grace of form, but rather a look of solid and unassuming of coziness and comfort. Those bearing the hall marks of the old silversmiths are usually to be accepted as genuine.—Chicago Herald.

The Clergyman's Holiday.

Sunday is the clergyman's working day, and Monday is his day of rest. In eastern cities it is common for the ministers of the town, and its neighborhood to assemble at convenient points, usually the publishing houses or mission centers of their respective denominations, and to spend some hours in the discussion of topics not always religious. They also in little groups at a good restaurant, and if their consciences allow they go to a concert or a theater in the evening. This pleasant custom had its origin in Boston, and probably no performance has been given at the Boston Museum on Monday night in 40 years when clergy did not form a part of the audience.—New York Sun.

In Return For Praise.

Praise went a long way with Brignoli. One evening at rehearsal the orchestra laid down their instruments as one man and applauded his singing of a favorite song long and vigorously. He was much pleased, and advancing to the footlights with many a bow and smile of satisfaction said: "Gentlemen, immediately after the rehearsal there will be a champagne supper at the Everett house. I hope I may have the honor to meet you all there."

It is needless to remark that they were there, every man of them. The supper cost Brignoli \$500.—New York Tribune.

There are a great many men in America who, although well born and well bred, have absolutely no idea of what is proper in the matter of dress.

In consequence of winter diet and lack of open-air exercise, the whole physical mechanism becomes impaired. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the proper remedy. In the spring of the year, to strengthen the appetite, invigorate the system and expell all impurities from the blood.

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Signs of Health.

You don't have to look twice to detect them—bright eyes, bright color, bright smiles, bright in every action.

Disease is overcome only when weak tissue is replaced by the healthy kind. Scott's Emulsion of cod liver oil effects cure by building up sound flesh. It is agreeable to taste and easy of assimilation.

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